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MELLON SAYS COUNTRY MUST TRY ECONOMY

National Retrenchment Possible Only by Program of Careful Thrift Among Individuals

TAX REDUCTION IN 1924 EXPECTED TO HELP BUSINESS

(By Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the United States Treasury).

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 26.—If the prosperity which the country as a whole is enjoying today is to continue through the year 1924, a program of economy must rule both private and governmental expenditures.

I believe in saving, and it is my conviction that a saving nation will be a prosperous nation; that a thrifty people will be a successful people. It is, therefore, the responsibility of each of us to help maintain good times and bring the greatest benefit to the greatest number during the coming year.

We must face the fact that while the people acquired habits during the war which can only be described as extravagant, and indulged in alarming and unprecedented spending, the salvation of our commercial and industrial integrity today depends principally on the elimination of unnecessary expenditures.

How U. S. May Prosper

However distressing conditions are in other parts of the world, the United States is back of its feet, and the money madness of wartime is over. There is but one way for this nation to prosper and that is for it to pay its debts, eliminate needless expenses, and to add to its surplus in money and resources.

The greatest and richest of governments must shape its politics in this fashion; so must the humblest citizen. This is the responsibility of the future and it is the responsibility of the individual as well as of the government.

The lead has been taken by the government of the United States. The administration is doing everything possible to achieve constantly greater economies and added efficiency in every branch of its service. As has recently been pointed out to Congress, revenues exceeded expenditures by $360,057,469 at the end of the fiscal year 1923, and the indicated surplus for the fiscal year 1924 is estimated at about $329,000,000. In this managing the public finances there has been a reduction in the public debt of $913,674,343 during the fiscal year 1923 to $22,349,707,000, as of June 30, 1923.

Public Debt Reduced

This compares with a debt of $24,209,321,000 on June 30, 1920. On October 31, 1923, the public debt was further reduced to $22,682,200,000, which is encouraging and should stimulate the heads of government departments, as well as business men throughout the country, to further acts of wise economy.

With further tax reductions, I believe that business during the year 1924 will be greatly improved. However, we must beware of new and unusual activities and must continue to practice rigid economies. There are groups of individuals throughout the country who have complained of the lack of purchasing power. Among these are the farmers as a class, and while they have been below workers in other industries, in this regard, all signs indicate that agriculture is regaining its dominant position. The farmers must understand, however, that systemized production and expenditures will go a long way toward reestablishing them on a sound financial basis.

Young Men Must Save

One of the greatest personal assets one can have is the ability to save, and if the young men and women of today, who are the leaders of tomorrow, will learn to save something out of what they are earning the sacrifices of the past will not have been made in vain. Money is more easily earned today than ever before, but it is more difficult to save it. This government succeeded in balancing its budget, and has succeeded in maintaining a surplus to meet future emergencies. I believe that this balancing of the national budget has helped business, and has been of national benefit.

In having succeeded in accomplishing this economy the government is now turning its attention to a program which will help millions of individuals to save more from what they earn. The recommended reduction in income taxes, will permit of greater savings by the average wage earners.

GROCERY ON 19TH STREET BURNS

All of Stock Destroyed, Only Framework of Building Left—Started From Defective Flue

The grocery store of Daniels and Ball, at the corner of Nineteenth and Ashbury avenue, was almost destroyed this morning by a fire which threatened the entire block of frame buildings. Prompt service on the part of the fire department prevented the spread of the fire, however, and saved the framework of the building.

The stock of groceries, belonging to S. E. Daniels and H. E. Ball, was almost entirely destroyed. This was valued at $300 and there was no insurance on it. The building belonged to Floyd Ball and Wallace Gastineau. They valued it at $2500 and had insurance for $1500. Nothing was saved in the way of fixtures and only the frame of the building was left standing.

The fire started from a defective flue which caught from a very hot stove in the room of Charlie Pier who lived in the rooms over the store. The fire department was summoned and arrived almost immediately. Good water connections from the fire plug on the corner helped to keep a steady play of water on the flames, so threatening at first, were soon under control.

A stiff wind from the north directed the fire straight toward the other frame buildings in the block, most of them occupied by negro enterprises. There was a great scrambling to save possessions. Beds and bedding were thrown from upstairs windows, valuables were brought out and the fixtures of the Union Hotel, operated by the Rev. H. Pickett, were hurried out into the street. An oil tank in the rear of the building fortunately did not explode.

The weather was so cold that the water froze almost as soon as it fell, sheets of ice cover the sidewalk, street and building and icicles hanging from the rafters of the charred frame present a unique spectacle.

HARRY VERRAN'S MOTHER DIES IN ROANOKE, VA.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. W. L. Verran, mother of Harry Verran of this city, at her home in Roanoke, Va. Mr. and Mrs. Verran were called to Roanoke last Saturday by her serious illness. Mrs. Verran had been ill for two years. Her funeral will be Monday in Roanoke. She is survived by her husband; one son, Harry Verran; and four daughters, Mrs. Louise Shawver of Bell fountain; Miss Edith Verran and Mrs. Frank Brown of Roanoke, Va., and Mrs. Dale Parks of Greenville, Tenn.

CONSTRUCTION DIX DAM UNDER WAY

New Power Dam Near Lexington Highest East of Rocky Mountains

Construction of the Dix River dam, which will be the highest power dam east of the Rocky Mountains, is reported well under way. It is located twenty miles south of Lexington and seventy-five miles southeast of Louisville.

The dam which is 270 feet high, 700 feet across and 700 feet thick at the base, will have a capacity of 35,000 horse-power, generating 77,000,000 kilowatt hours of electricity annually. The power and light current will be carried to other points by transmission lines over ninety-five miles of steel towers.

The Kentucky Utilities company, acting for the Kentucky-Electric Co., is selling stock in the latter firm here in Middlesboro. The stock represents a sound investment, paying seven per cent annually. Dividends at this rate are paid every quarter. Shares are offered on the monthly payment plan.

Police Court News

Rogers Richmond, breach of peace, $20.25; Theodore Graves, reckless driving, $14.25; Sam Hill, trespassing, $14.25; T. M. Partin, flourishing a deadly weapon, $51.25; John Lance, drunkenness, $14.25; William Ayers, Ira Lee, R. A. Holstein, H. Yost, C. A. Martin and Arthur Dozier, hoboing, each fined $6.25; Jess Carter, John Massengill, and Vesta Owens, vagrancy, sentenced to jail thirty days; R. P. Smith, drunkenness, $14.25.

COOLIDGE TAKES HAND IN TEAPOT LEASE AFFAIR

Demands Expert Investigation of Way Sinclair and Doheny Interests Obtained Leases for Oil Reserves

SAYS EVIDENCE TOO SERIOUS FOR GOVERNMENT DELAY

Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—President Coolidge today definitely entered the Teapot Dome oil lease controversy. While the Senate oil committee is seeking further light on the relations of former Secretary Fall and Harry Sinclair, the president has asked the Interior Department to submit to him expert advice as to the wisdom of the policy under which Sinclair and Doheny interests secured leases from Fall for oil reserves in Wyoming and California.

He asked a report at the earliest moment on the question as to whether these leases protect the interests of the government. The president believes evidence produced before the committee is too serious to warrant much delay in mapping the government's course. He may make a statement of the government's intentions both as to civil and criminal proceedings as soon as the departmental investigations are concluded.

COL. HARRISON AUSMUS DIES THIS AFTERNOON

Col. Harrison Ausmus, old-time resident of Middlesboro, died at his home on Sixteenth street at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. He had been seriously ill for several weeks. No announcement of funeral arrangements have been made.

Colonel Ausmus was one of Middlesboro's best known citizens. He came here from Claiborne county in the early days of this city and has lived here ever since.

DEMPSEY MAY APPEAR IN KNOXVILLE SOON

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., Jan. 26.—Jack Dempsey, world's heavyweight champion, may appear in Knoxville April 7 with the New York Giants, when the Nationals play the Chicago White Sox in an exhibition game.

This announcement was made today by Frank Moffett, manager of the Knoxville baseball club, who has been in communication with John McGraw, Giant pilot.

Dispatches from New York and Florida state that McGraw has been endeavoring to sign Dempsey as an added attraction for his southern exhibition tour. No definite agreement has been reached, it is understood, but advices point to acceptance by the champion.

SCREENS FOR OPEN GRATES URGED BY FIRE MARSHAL

NASHVILLE, Jan. 26.—"Too many persons are being burned to death in front of the open grate," says Ed M. Gillenwater, state fire marshal. "There have been at least six deaths from this cause in Tennessee during January and citizens should use precautions against fatalities and burns to members of their families by providing grate screens, which can be bought at a nominal cost," he stated. Mr. Gillenwater is using all efforts to impress upon the citizens the necessity for this precautionary measure as a means of saving life.

HALEY BROS. STORE BROKEN IN, BUT NOTHING STOLEN

Haley Bros. store, corner of Tenth and Cumberland, was broken into last night, though the proprietor announced this morning that an incomplete check indicated nothing was stolen.

A hole was broken through the lower panel of glass, evidently so the burglar could thrust his hand inside and unloose the bolt. The front door was standing open this morning. The stock of overalls was scattered over the counter, this being the only evidence that actual entry was made.

It is said that some boys were playing around the front of the store last night and the theory has been advanced that they broke the door. As this could not account for the door being opened and the goods scattered, the proprietor believes entry was made by a burglar.

THIRTY DEAD IN MINE EXPLOSION

Two More Expected to Die, Two Missing, In Illinois Disaster Yesterday

Associated Press

JOHNSON CITY, Ill., Jan. 26.—A check today definitely placed the number of dead in yesterday's mine explosion at 32. Two more were reported missing. Eight are in the hospital and two of these are expected to die.

M. H. S. WAS VICTOR AGAIN LAST NIGHT

Defeats Barbourville 26 to 20 In Close Game, Retaining Unbeaten Record

By Jack Chesney

Middlesboro High School increased her hopes for the Southeastern Kentucky basketball championship by defeating the Barbourville High school five, 26 to 20, last night at the gym. Jacobs at forward for Middlesboro, led in the scoring with 13 points.

The game started off rather slow, neither team scoring during the first five minutes. Then Barbourville began shooting and at the end of five minutes more the score stood 9 to 1 in their favor. The Middlesboro boys then found the basket and the half ended 14 to 10 in Barbourville's favor.

Middlesboro came back in the second half, scoring 16 points to Barbourville's 6 in this period. On account of Middlesboro's close guarding, Barbourville had few opportunities for short shots and several of her goals were shot from outside the 17 foot line. Wells, Barbourville forward, was taken out in the second half on account of personal fouls. Stone and Faulconer, Middlesboro guards, both played fine games.

The line-up:

M. H. S.		B. H. S.
Jacobs (13)	F	(5) Haun
Brown (4)	F	(4) Wells
Marlon (6)	C	(6) Messer
Stone (1)	G	(5) W. Mes'r
Faulconer (2)	G	Sergner

Substitutions—Barbourville: Swafford for Wells, Faulconer for Swaford.

STYLE SHOW IN CONNECTION WITH MAGICIAN'S PERFORMANCE

The Middlesboro Daily News is sponsoring a style show revue in connection with the Blackstone performance, which is to be at the Manring theatre February 18 and 19. The revue is part of one of the specialty acts and will consist of an array of early spring styles.

The merchants who will take part in the review are: G. H. Talbott and Co., Ginsburg's, A. D. Campbell and Bro., Verran's, Wise Specialty Shop. Each store will have two or more live models.

BOY UNDER AGE DAMAGES CAR IN COLLISION TODAY

Clarence Dorton, 15 year old boy, broke one light, bent the fender and radiator of the Chevrolet car he was driving when it collided with the back end of Owsley's delivery wagon. Vic Van and Earl Jones, two other young boys, were in the car with Dorton. The young driver declared that the wagon backed into him but there will be no grounds for collecting damage as Dorton was under age, and according to Middlesboro traffic laws, should not have been driving the car.

COURT OVER AT PINEVILLE TODAY

Sizemore Brothers Given Seven Years Apiece—Paris Martin Case Continued

With the trial of criminal cases at the end of the docket, the three weeks' term of the circuit court came to a close at Pineville yesterday. The term was for civil cases, but having finished these, two criminal cases were disposed of. Court will meet here Monday for a week's civil term.

Felix and Kinley Sizemore were each sentenced to seven years in prison yesterday by the jury on charges of killing Harvey Smith in an altercation growing out of a partnership still on Straight Creek some time ago.

The case of Paris Martin, held in connection with the famous mountain killing a few years ago, was again continued on account of absence of witnesses.

VICTIMS' HEADS ARE FOUND IN CEMENT BLOCK

Police Find Dismembered Parts Where Lid, Eccentric Lawyer, Confesses He Hid Them

ADMITS KILLING WIFE AND BROTHER, HIDES MOTIVE

Associated Press

AURORA, Ill., Jan. 26.—Sealed in a concrete block on the city dumpink grounds, police today found the heads of Mrs. Lina Lincoln and her brother, Byron Shoup, missing nearly a year, for whose murder the woman's husband, Warren J. Lincoln, eccentric lawyer is in jail here. Lincoln confessed he killed both although previously he asserted he killed his wife in self-defense after she shot and killed her brother.

Just after he told of dismembering the bodies and sealing up their heads in a concrete block, police rushed to the dumping ground where they found the block. The victims' heads were bared when the concrete was chipped off.

After making the confession Lincoln collapsed. He said he buried the bodies but no indication was made public as to the motive for the crime although there was evidence Lincoln held hatred against his wife and her brother. He previously declared they often had beaten him and wanted to get rid of him.

COUNTY MEDICAL ASSOCIATIONS ENDORSE DR. A. T. McCORMACK

Endorsements of the administration of Dr. A. T. McCormack, as secretary of the State Board of Health have been voted by practically every county medical association since the 1924 session of the General Assembly opened. These endorsements refute the charges of Dr. Milton Board that Dr. McCormack's regime should be overthrown and the constructive work accomplished by the society during the last thirty-five years destroyed.

It is pointed out that the average life of mankind in this state has been increased 15 years since 1907 through the State Board of Health's educational campaign and cooperation of the Kentucky doctors, that many heretofore epidemic diseases have been practically eliminated, such as smallpox, typhoid fever and cholera and that under the guidance of the State Board of Health, laws have been passed and placed on the statute books of Kentucky that have served as models for nearly every state in the Union.

INCOME TAX MAN HERE THIS WEEK, TO RETURN FEBRUARY

A representative of the internal revenue department who had been here this week left yesterday, promising to return about February 1 for the purpose of attending to income tax matters. It is understood that he will assist local persons in making out their income tax returns. Last year, income tax blanks were left at the postoffice for the use of those who had not otherwise received them, but the office has not yet been furnished with a supply this year.

WATERMELONS ON MARKET ASTONISH WINTER TOURISTS

St. PETERSBURG, Fla., Jan. 26.—Thirty-six luscious watermelons arrived in this city the other day, they have been displayed to the wondering gaze of thousands of winter tourists. The melons, which were grown by N. L. Vaughan, a farmer living near here, showed an average weight of 16½ pounds. They will be shipped to New York by a local packing concern, it was learned.

Young Girl Dead

Miss Matilda Belle Hunley, age 20, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willa Hunley, died at their home at the Junction at 9 o'clock Tuesday night. Funeral services were conducted at the home at 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, the Rev. Miracle officiating. Interment followed at the Yellow Creek cemetery.

Harrogate Baby Dies

Anna Lee Fletcher, two weeks old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Fletcher, died at their home at Harrogate Tuesday. Funeral services were conducted at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Interment was in the Harrogate cemetery.

ENDORSEMENT OF BIBLE IN SCHOOLS

Local Ministers to Urge Support of Congregations in Boosting Measure

Middlesboro ministers have agreed to speak from their pulpits tomorrow urging support of the congregation to the bill now before the legislature for the daily use of the Bible in the common schools of the state. In some of the churches petitions will be signed for presentation to the local representatives and senators and in all of them members of the congregations will be asked to write letters urging the legislators to support this measure.

The bill has been introduced into the senate by Senator James H. Rash of Madisonville and in the house by Representative V. H. Redwine of Sandy Hook. It is in complete harmony with the nation-wide movement to put the Bible back in every school house and have its daily use protected by mandatory law, not to force its truths on any child, but to give him a chance to know and use them if he wishes.

The bill proposed, follows:

"Whereas the rules and regulations governing the reading of the Bible in the common schools of the Commonwealth are not uniform, and whereas religion and morality are necessary to good government and the Bible is civilization's text book of morality and it is important that the common school children shall have lessons of morality brought to their attention during the school days, therefore, be it enacted:

1—The teachers in charge shall read or cause to be read a portion of the Bible, daily, in every class room or session room of the common schools of the state of Kentucky, in the presence of pupils therein assembled; and no child shall be required to read the Bible against the wish of his parent or guardian.

2—The failure of any teacher to conform to this act shall be cause for the revocation of his certificate in the manner provided by law."

The Bible is now read by mandatory law every day in the public schools of Massachusetts, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Alabama, Gergia, New York city, Washington, D. C., and Indianapolis, Ind., where 30,000,000 people live.

The inter-church survey shows that Kentucky has 392,000 young people in her churches and 821,000 outside, making 68 per cent of the state's youth entirely without the church.

ROAD CALENDAR SALE WEDNESDAY

To Be Sold Under Direction of Local Woman's Club—Mrs. R. L. Maddox in Charge

The Woman's Club will launch their sale of Good Roads Association poster calendars on Wednesday of next week. These attractive calendars are made up of twelve posters designed by Kentucky children in the cause of good roads. The Kentucky Good Roads Association planned these calendars to be sold to get funds for the good roads cause. The Woman's Club in the towns over the state are handling the sale in these towns.

The Kiwanis Club and Merchants' Association here have both pledged their support to the sale. Mrs. R. L. Maddox is chairman of the project and she will be assisted in the sale by the following: Mrs. O. O. Stone, Mrs. Homer Hoe, Mrs. J. M. Rogan, Mrs. W. R. Caskey, Mrs. W. K. Evans, Mrs. W. R. Pool, Mrs. Harry Moss, Mrs. J. R. Callison, Mrs. Jacob Shultz, Mrs. C. W. Bailey, Mrs. J. R. Ramey, Mrs. C. K. Brashear and Mrs. F. P. Scales.

BELL COUNTY MINES OPEN ON 1917 SCALE

The Pioneer Coal company, after a shutdown of more than three months, resumed operations on the 1917 scale Monday, according to C. S. Nield. Several other mines in Bell county have resumed operations during the last few days on the 1917 scale and others have indicated that they will begin work within the next few weeks.

Many of the miners in this vicinity are going back to work on the old scale because they realize that this is about the first step necessary to full resumption of mining in this field, according to reports received here.—Pineville Sun.

COOPERATION KEYNOTE OF MERCHANTS

Splendid Program for Association Banquet Last Night—Trade at Home and Credit Ratings Emphasized

MUSICAL NUMBERS ENJOYED; LITTLE MISS UNRUH DANCES

Co-operation of merchants and patrons in building Middlesboro was the theme of the address at the Merchants' Association banquet at the Hotel Cumberland last night. In addition to the more serious matter, there was a splendid musical program.

Mrs. D. G. Hinks, president of the Woman's Club made an interesting speech in which she urged co-operation of the retail buyers with the local merchants. She censured the practice of many local people, particularly women, of buying from Knoxville, Louisville and Cincinnati, and patronizing the mail order houses for goods that could be bought more satisfactorily here in Middlesboro.

She announced a program for April 8 in which the members of her club will work with the merchants in a campaign boosting local business interests. S. M. Reams, president, appointed a committee to work with the club, composed of G. H. Talbott, A. D. Campbell and W. V. Tennent.

T. Russ Hill made a spirited address on co-operation among the merchants. The speaker told how co-operation is necessary to any successful achievement in any line of endeavor, finishing by explaining in detail the factors which compose one hundred per cent co-operation.

He told of the lack of co-operation among the citizens of Southeastern Kentucky for the good roads movement and how the work of the faithful few had at last aided in bringing conditions favorable for this section.

In speaking of the lack of unity in church work here, the speaker said: "A Baptist cannot go into the Christian church or a Christian into a Baptist church without attracting attention. People wonder what is the matter and why he is there. This condition exists among all the churches. Lack of co-operation is resulting in small crowds at the church basket ball games.

"A stranger can come here and live six months on a dime," he declared, in speaking of the laxity of credit investigations. "He will trade with each grocer, clothier and other stores as long as they will trust him. Perfect co-operation of the retail merchants will remedy this condition."

John Chesney, speaking on "Collection of Bills," had a great deal of sound information in a speech featured by witty remarks. Three stores have been closed here recently, he stated, and indicated that others might follow unless bills are collected more promptly than has previously been the custom.

Guy Glover stated that there is excellent co-operation between the telephone company and the merchants. The company has 700 local calls per day and 125 long distance calls, he stated. He gave some interesting information on efficient use of telephones.

"The public utilities is an ally of the merchants and of the general public," W. C. Stair stated, in a brief address on the work of his organization as it touches the hundreds of patrons.

Several other speakers, which were on the program did not speak, on account of the lateness of the hour. Mr. Reams stated that they would be continued to the next meeting, Thursday, February 7.

The program was opened by a song by Mrs. Ed Yeager. She was accompanied by Mrs. R. L. Maddox, mandolin, and Mrs. J. T. Alderson, piano. The song was loudly applauded and an encore was necessary. Little Miss Edna Lee Unruh of Washington, D. C., gave a clever "sailor boy" dance which likewise received an encore. The talented child was clearly the hit of the evening. Mrs. Edna Unruh, her mother, played the piano accompaniment.

Fifty-one persons were present at the banquet, this including nearly all the members of the Merchants' Association and a number of visitors. Two speeches, music and dancing were on the program. Members of the association say it was the best meeting ever held by the [illegible]

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A THOUGHT

The earth bringeth forth fruit of herself; first the blade, then the ear, after that the full corn in the ear.—Mark 4:28.

The feast is such as earth, the general mother,
Pours from her fairest bosom, when she smiles,
In the embrace of autumn.
—Shelley.

THE BOND ISSUE AND SOUTHEASTERN KENTUCKY

In the General Assembly of this state there is now pending a bill which means more to Kentucky, particularly to this section, than any other measure that body has contemplated in the past 50 years. On the $75,000,000 bond issue depends the future of Kentucky—whether it will go forward as a unit, with splendid developments in every way in every section, or whether it will be content to struggle along for years with a few miles of new road a year, with penal and charitable institutions neglected and with schools of such mediocrity as to rank the glorious old state of Kentucky forty-fifth in the union in education.

This bond issue bids fair to pass the General Assembly without much trouble because that body has this year the good fortune to be composed of men with constructive ideas and ideals. If it does pass it will be put to the vote of the people in November. No efforts should be spared to impress on the people the true worth of this measure, to make them understand just what it means.

This bond issue, because of the way it is drawn up, will not increase taxes in the state. The automobile and gas tax and the present assessments will take entire care of it and there will be no burden on any one. The great advantage is that it will enable the great road building program contemplated for Kentucky to be carried out at once instead of dragging it out for years. It means that our eleemosynary, charitable and penal institutions will be put on a first-class basis at once and be developed into institutions we shall take pride in. And it means that our schools, our University, normals and rural and city public schools will have appropriations ample to put them in the front rank of the union, to allow Kentucky children advantages equal with any children any where.

Southeastern Kentucky in particular should lend all support to this measure and indications are that she does. Nowhere else are roads so badly needed as in our mountains and nowhere are schools in such deplorable condition. Give us the bond issue and we promise such progress in the next five years that the country will have forgotten that the Kentucky mountains were ever a redezvous for the gun toters, moonshiners and other outlaws—forgotten it so well that amateur story writers must turn forever to another subject.

MELLON URGES VALUE OF SAVING

(By Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury).

"One of the greatest personal assets one can have is the ability to save, and if the young men and women of today, who are the leaders of tomorrow, will learn to save something out of what they are earning the sacrifices of the past will not have been in vain. Money is more easily earned today than ever before, but it is more difficult to save it. The government succeeded in balancing its budget, and has succeeded in maintaining a surplus to meet future emergencies. I believe that this balancing of the national budget has helped business, and has been of national benefit.

"Having succeeded in accomplishing national economies the government is now turning its attention to a program which will help millions of individuals to save more what they earn. The recommended reduction in income taxes will permit of greater savings by the average wage earners.

"Further than that the government has established a savings system of its own which gives to every one an opportunity to save systematically by the investment of amounts as small as $20 and $80. I refer to the new Treasury Savings Certificates, by means of which about $175,000,000 have been saved in 1923. I was recently asked what I considered the best method of saving money in small sums, and at present I know of nothing that is any better than deposits in savings banks or the purchase of Treasury Savings certificates.

"With a new year at hand, the government on a sound financial basis, the people of our country practically all employed and learning the value of both personal and national economy the outlook is encouraging. We can face the future with assurance, and turn our energies to the problems of further progress with enthusiasm. I believe 1924 will justify the hopes of business, and will be a year of national and individual advancement."

WOMAN'S LURE

What qualities of womanhood are most attractive to men? A reader, asking this question, says in his letter to the editor: "I gather, from movies and fiction and news stories, that the most admirable traits or qualities in a man are bravery, brains, honor and loyalty. Please write about the most desirable characteristics of a woman. What must she possess to be an ideal sweetheart and wife?"

Every woman gives a lot of thought to this problem. The great philosophers have pondered it.

Pooling authorities: The most attractive and desirable qualities in a woman are modesty, love, beauty, loyalty, poise, reserve, companionship, personal magnetism—and mystery.

Men, courting women for their future wives and mothers of their children, instinctively seek, first of all, love, modesty, companionship and loyalty.

Beauty is the biological lure. But isn't its influence usually over-rated? Consider the multitude of men who are quite contented to pass up the beauties and marry women only moderately attractive.

Of course, for the homeliest woman in the world, there's some man who'll consider her the most attractive. Yes, love is blind.

Handsome men frequently marry homely women. Brilliant men often marry women with very little brains.

Practical women marry impractical men. Beauties mate with commonplace males. Tall women with short husbands; Tall husbands with short wives. Good marries bad. Small wonder, love baffles the philosophers.

In the last analysis, all this contradictory state of affairs is merely nature evening things up—restoring the balance between the sexes—preventing the race from veering too far from the normal or average of appearances, mentality, emotion and character.

Berton Braley's Poem

A MATTER OF ETIQUETTE

When first they met each other he
was four and she was three,
And they hadn't read the Book of
Etiquette;
He was very, very friendly, but no
friendlier than she,
And they hadn't read the book of
Etiquette.
So without an introduction they
made friends, as children will,
And they went to school together
through their childhood days, until
They both started off to college—they
were quite grown up, but still
They hadn't read the Book of
Etiquette.

He took her out to dances and he took
her out to plays,
And they hadn't read the Book of
Etiquette;
They were married to each other in
their graduation days,
And they hadn't read the Book of
Etiquette.
She was quite a dainty housewife and
a mighty clever cook,
And they had six lovely children in
their snug suburban nook;
Then one day she got a copy of a
justly famous book,
'Twas a copy of the Book of
Etiquette.

Now the wife is out in Reno, she
has left her roost,
For, at last she's read the Book of
Etiquette;
She'd been living with a husband who
was never introduced,
Which was frowned on by the Book
of Etiquette.
When the tie that binds is severed,
she'll undoubtedly essay
To re-meet her famous husband in a
mete and proper way,
And they'll then proceed to courtship
and a second wedding day,
All according to the Book of
Etiquette.

THIS LITTLE WORLD

LONDON, Jan. 26.—A deadly dull blight has settled upon London theaters, probably until April. It's an annual disease called "pantos," British for pantomimes.

Because in the days of their great-grandmothers, the theatres used to be given over in the Christmas season to the pantomime form of entertainment; the managers do the same now.

Dramas, operas, comedies are swept off the boards.

The pretense here is that the pantos are put on for the delight of the children because Christmas is their season. But the pantos go on and on seemingly forever and they draw packed houses nightly—of adults.

There is one phase of ripping that is unknown in the states because Uncle Sam won't tolerate it. Here, when Christmas comes, your faithful letter-carrier doesn't rely on your generosity. He practically demands it.

The men who serve you delegate one of their numbers as collector. He enters the names of all the people on their joint beat. Then he presents the book to the various people and they are supposed to write down the amounts of kale they are willing to contribute to the postman's Christmas box.

And the British postal authorities don't even bat an eye.

I ran across Sinclair Lewis, famous American novelist, the other day in Fleet street. Lewis by now knows his London and Paris as well as, or even better than he knows New York. He told me he had to spend the summer at Fontainebleau near Paris and is now living here.

We went to the place where his next novel is being written. It's a delightful room in the Temple, that enclosure sacred to the legal profession of London. Many people wouldn't think it delightful, because the room is not particularly bright and

it is heated by a little grate fire. But it has something you could get nowhere else in London and not at all in rushing New York or any other big American town—absolute quiet and isolation.

It's a perfect retreat away from the people who want to buy Lewis a meal or want him to buy them one.

Away from the panhandlers and the gossips.

LEFT SIDE OF HIGHWAYS SAFEST FOR PEDESTRIANS

By Associated Press.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 22.—Pedestrians on country highways will find greater safety by staying on their left-hand side, according to Percy E. Towne, chairman of the public safety committee of the California State Automobile Association. He is urging them to adopt this method of walking.

Mr. Towne sees the necessity for this in the increasing number of accidents which occurs from vehicles approaching from the rear. The right side of the road is particularly dangerous at night, in his opinion, as motorists often are blinded temporarily by approaching headlights and fail to see pedestrians. The pedestrians, on the other hand, frequently assume that they are visible and do not look behind them. By walking on the left side, Mr. Towne points out, they face the approaching traffic and can step out of its way.

Claimed as the most wonderful set of church bells in the world, a carillon is now being cast in Croydon, England. It will have 53 bells and is to form a memorial to a millionaire's mother.

Adventures of The Twins

By Olive Roberts Barton

A SQUEALY RIDDLE

And one went into the barber's shop.

"This riddle," said the Riddle Lady with a smile, "is about a most peculiar creature. I'm about certain that nobody will guess it. Not even Nancy and Nick."

"What is it?" shouted everybody.

"I'll begin at once," said the Riddle Lady, "but if anybody has worn his dunce-cap in mistake for his thinking cap, he'd better go home and change it. But there! This is the riddle:

"They have saucy snouts and curly tails,
And bodies as round as milking pails,
And they like to grunt and they love to squeal,
And simply adore a good square meal.

"They eat sweet apples and corn and clover,
And roll in the mud until they're plastered over,
And root and dig with moisty nose,
To find where the juciest turnip grows.

"The story says that one day they went
To town, these brothers, on pleasure bent,
One went to market, one bought roast beef,
And one got lost and came to grief.

"And one went to the grocery store, 'tis said,
And bought him a slice of butter and bread,
And one went into the barber's shop,
And bought him a wig to wear on top.

"And one was stolen by the Piper's son
Who picked him up and then did run,
And one, they say, called, Hickory Dare,
Got a flying machine and flew up in the air.

"And one built a house of straw and hay,
The better to keep the wolf away,
And one built a house of boughs and sticks,
And one made a house of good, hard bricks.

"But the wisest one of all these brothers,
Who had more sense than all the others,
Was the wise little fellow who stayed at home,
And said he was satisfied not to roam.

"Now what in the name of these lusty scouts,
With the curly tail and saucy snouts,
Who roll in mud, and buy them wigs,
And come home again, home again dancing jigs?"

"I do think that is a delicate thing to talk about in the present company," said Tom Piper, blushing very red.

"Oh, it's not delicate!" laughed the Riddle Lady. "It's quite fat and healthy. They all are! Has anybody guessed?"

"It's pigs!" called out every Riddle Lander and every Mother Goose Lander and Nancy and Nick and Humpty Dumpty and Daddy Gander, all at once.

"Well, I declare!" said the Riddle Lady. "I do believe there isn't a single dunce-cap here today. Isn't that fine! Well, everybody gets a photograph of the Five Little Pigs taken on their last trip to town. That is the prize today."

(To Be Continued).

The Battle Rages

"GULF-TO-LAKES" CANAL PLAN WOULD ADD 3000 MILES TO U. S. COASTLINE

The Ohio and Mississippi now carry a large share of the nation's commerce, but those interested in development of inland waterways predict that the day is not far distant when ocean-going steamers will share the flat-bottomed river boats of today.

Nineteen hundred and thirty-four will see Californians boarding ships in San Francisco and Los Angeles for Chicago.

Seattle lumber will be carried by water from Puget Sound to Cleveland.

And products of the midwest and east will be loaded on ocean-going vessels along the Mississippi River and Great Lakes for all parts of the world.

This is the prediction of organizations now working on projects which will, in effect, increase the shore line of the United States 3,000 miles.

Backers of these projects forecast a complete revolution in American transportation methods, lower costs of tonnage, elimination of rehandling and therefore stimulation of demand for all middle west products.

"St. Lawrence Project" is the designation given the plan to make Great Lake points ocean ports.

"Gulf-to-Lakes" is the plan by which the Mississippi Valley Association and the Illinois Waterways Commission seek to open the Mississippi, Missouri, Ohio and Illinois Rivers to seagoing vessels.

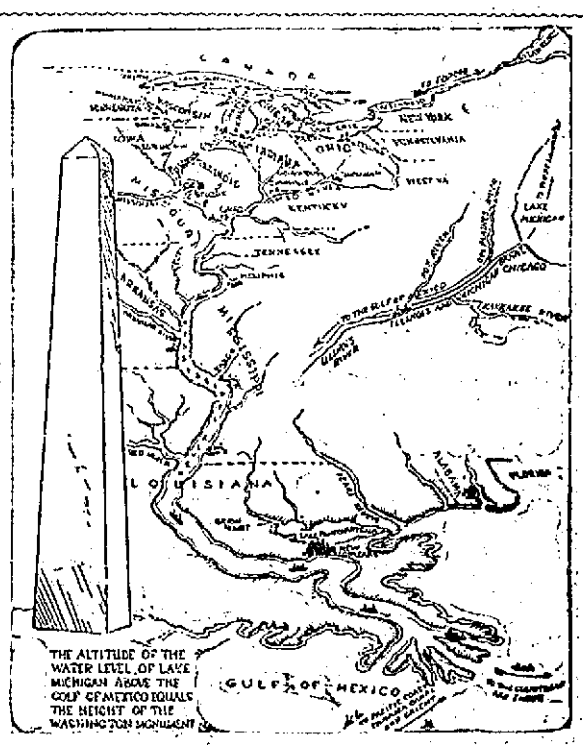
Fifty miles of rapids along the upper stretches of the St. Lawrence River is nature's barrier between the Great Lakes and the ocean. The projected international improvement would provide a channel 25 feet deep from the Great Lakes to salt water by a series of locks and dams around these rapids.

The cost is estimated at $232,728,000. The electric power to be developed at the dams is expected to maintain and, eventually, to pay the cost. Also, it will stimulate traffic through providing cheap power for manufacturing.

At the outset, 1,000 miles of railroad transportation and handling of is eliminated. The route puts the vessel in tidewater at Montreal, 400 goods in costly, congested terminals miles nearer Liverpool than is New York.

Without this improvement, a 212-foot vessel, the Black Bay, successfully made a trip from Seattle, Wash., on the Pacific, to Chicago, on Lake Michigan.

Completion of the Marseilles Lock, first of five similar locks to be built by the Illinois Waterway Commission, marks another big stride in the plan to give Lake Michigan and the Mississippi River ocean traffic.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GULF OF MEXICO
THE ALTITUDE OF THE WATER LEVEL OF LAKE MICHIGAN ABOVE THE GULF OF MEXICO EQUALS THE HEIGHT OF THE WASHINGTON MONUMENT

This map shows how development of the Mississippi will make ocean ports of many cities of the midwest.

The new dollar bill is designed so that it will be harder to counterfeit. What the country needs, however, is a dollar bill that will be easier to earn honestly.—Life.

In this new and efficient era, housewives are known as home engineers. They are content to let father keep his old job as fireman.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

An Ontario woman shot a wolf at 250 yards. That is good shooting, even for these days. A wolf makes a smaller target than a husband and moves much faster.—Life.

Sometimes it seems to me that after he has slaved all year he has nothing to show for it except a calendar from his merchant.—Country Gentleman.

EVERETT TRUE—By Condo

I NOTICE MR. DAY IS PRESENT AT THE BANQUET. EVERYBODY HERE WOULD, NO DOUBT, LIKE TO HEAR FROM HIM. MR. DAY, WOULD YOU ENTERTAIN US WITH A FEW WORDS?
—AND THE SUBJECT IS PRACTICALLY INEXHAUSTIBLE, LIMITLESS. AND, NOW, THIS BRINGS ME TO ANOTHER QUESTION.....
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Hymn of the Night

I heard the trailing garments of the Night
Sweep through her marble halls!
I saw her sable skirts all fringed with light
From the celestral walls!

I felt her presence, by its spell of might,
Swoop over me from above:
The calm, majestic presence of the Night,
As of the one I love.

I heard the sounds of sorrow and delight,
The manifold, soft chimes,
That fill the haunted chamber of the Night,
Like some old poet's rhymes.

From the cool cisterns of the midnight air
My spirit drank repose;
The fountain of perpetual peace flows there,
From those deep cisterns flows.

O holy Night; from thee I learn to bear
What man has borne before!
Thou layest thy finger on the lips of Care,
And they complain no more.

Peace! Peace! Orestes-like I breathe this prayer
Descend with broad-winged flight,
The welcome, the thrice-prayed for, the most fair,
The best-beloved Night.

—Henry Wadsworth Longfellow.

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Woman's Club to Meet Monday

The regular meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon in the club rooms of the library. The program will be in charge of the Child Welfare Committee of which Mrs. M. G. Hubbard is chairman. Dr. Anna Veech, of Louisville, presenting the welfare department of the State Board of Health, will speak. All mothers of young children, whether members of the club or not are urged to be present. The committee is particularly anxious for a large attendance, and they include Pineville Harrogate and Cumberland Gap mothers in this invitation. Ballots will be presented for the club to vote on the World Peace plan. As this is McDowell week in America, musical selections will be rendered from his compositions. A committee will take charge of the babies that come.

Miss Margaret Southern Will Wed Tonight

The marriage of Miss Margaret Southern of this city to William Nelson Perkins of Allais, Ky., will be solemnized at 8 o'clock tonight at the home of the bride's father, W. M. Southern. The Rev. Sam P. Martin will perform the ceremony. Mrs. T. R. Hill will play the wedding march and Miss May Nicholson will sing a solo. The couple will leave foo their honeymoon on the 10:10 train.

CONTRACTS ON STATE ROADS CALLED LEGAL

State Decides Commission Did Not Exceed Revenue to June 30, 1921—To Start Work in Spring

AFFECTS LINE BETWEEN HERE AND LEXINGTON

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 26.—Attorney General Frank E. Dougherty and Assistant Attorney General Overton Hogan has filed answer to the petition in the road test suit of S. W. Billiter and Roduan Wiley, Covington contractors, against the State Highway Commission. Billiter, and Wiley alleged that approximately $2,000,000 in state contracts are invalid because they exceeded the state's income for road purposes for the fiscal year within which they had been let. The attorney general's department asked that the contractors' petition be dismissed.

The answer filed denies the allegation of the contractors and gives a full statement of all monies received and sources from which they were received up to the time for letting contracts December 1, 1923. It shows that anticipated revenues from that date to the close of the fiscal year and from what sources the anticipated revenue is to come. When these figures are studied, it is alleged by the attorney general, they will show that the Highway Commission has not exceeded its revenue to June 30, 1924.

Favors Contractors

This answer made the issue in which the state is placed apparently on the side of the plaintiff, the Covington contractors, and upon which issue the case will proceed.

Judge Ben Williams of the Franklin Fiscal and Circuit Court, will call for proof and make a decision showing clearly, whether the constitutional requirement that a contract made in anticipation of funds is involved.

The answer declares the Highway Commission had total receipts of $5,819,914.66 and an equal amount in total disbursements from June 30 to December 1, 1923; that to December 1, 1923, there was 695.1 miles of road on the state primary system under construction or under contract, and the estimated cost of completion, including overruns and engineering, $8,395,234.23; that on this amount the federal government is obligated to pay the state $3,440,075.43; that the counties in which the projects are located have obligated themselves to pay the state $3,504,184.82, leaving the state's share of the cost $1,351,973.83.

Revenues Summed Up

The answer continued as further statement of the commission:

That on December 1, 1923, $1,158,762.59 was chargeable in obligations to the state up to June 30, 1924, and that the commission has sufficient funds and is amply able to meet all of its outstanding obligations on December 1, 1923, from anticipated revenues from December 1, 1923, to June 30, 1924," in the amount of $4,558,762.59, equal to its obligations.

The answer mentions the sixteen projects for which contracts were let, for a total amount of $2,094,018.35, covering a total of 140.75 miles, and continues:

"That of this amount the federal government will pay $709,387.93; the counties in which the projects are located will pay the sum of $187,000, leaving a balance of $1,908,230.42 that

BIG COIN LURES JONES TO TRINITY; TINY COLLEGE MAKES BID FOR FAME

HOWARD JONES

Howard Jones, famous football coach, has been signed to act in that capacity for Trinity College at Durham, N. C.

Recently the wires carried that startling announcement.

Howard Jones, the man who put University of Iowa on the football map, winner of "Big Ten" championships in the west, was to forsake one of the country's leading institutions for a small and obscure southern college.

What did it all mean? Football fans and experts couldn't dope it out.

For the first time in the history of college sport, a successful and famous coach of a big time eleven voluntarily gave up his position for a minor league berth, to use the slang of the ball field. Charlie Moran, for instance, is going in the opposite direction, from Centre College to Bucknell.

Secret Is Out

The secret is finally out. The new position of Jones at Trinity, while it does not carry with it the prestige of Iowa, is a far more lucrative one.

Trinity seeks to get somewhere on the gridiron. Money is no object as shown by the hiring of Jones.

Trinity at present may be a rather obscure institution from a national standpoint, yet it does not lack for funds. Every tobacco user is a booster for Trinity.

The college is located at Durham, N. C., the take-off point of the Duke family of American Tobacco Company fame, and has received a lot of money from that family. Last year it received over $1,000,000 from the "Dukes."

Trinity has about 1,000 students. What it lacks in numbers is made up by its financial backing, placing it in a position to compete with the bigger institutions of the south.

The football history of Trinity is somewhat unusual. It is claimed that the first game of modern football, with the present oval ball, ever staged in the south was between Trinity and the University of North Carolina on Thanksgiving Day, 1888. The game was introduced there by a Yale man, as Howard Jones is, one William F. Crowell, who was president of the college.

Placed Ban on Football

For about six years Trinity turned out winning football teams. Then there came a new president to the college who was for some reason intensely anti-football. Under his influence the game was barred and kept out approximately 25 years. This anti-football president was John C. Kilgo, now dead.

Trinity went back to football in 1920. It has had just fair success. Last year was a very poor one. University of Virginia, University of North Carolina and some lesser schools beat them.

Now, under the guidance of Howard Jones, they're going back to the old championship days.

Praise of "Just Married" Honeymoon Comedy Farce

The following criticism of "Just Married" is from the Greensboro Daily News of Greensboro, N. C., where it played recently:

Owen Martin and Sylvia DeFrankie delighted an audience that packed the Grand theatre last night with a sparkling presentation of "Just Married" described as "a honeymoon farce comedy." The pair were supported by an admirably competent company.

"Just Married" is a rank absurdity, of course, and yet not as far from all possibility of reality as the average farce. It is conceivable that such a situation as the central one about which the piece is built might have occurred. This chemical trace, so to speak, of reality is just enough to sharpen the humor and give the thing a little more body than one expects of its kind.

But if the playwrights gave him a good start, which they did, Mr. Martin took all possible advantage of it. His work was that of a comedian. A less skillful actor would have made the part that of a clown, and thereby ruined it; but Martin's very dignity made the ludicrous situations excruciatingly funny. Miss DeFrankie is less the comedienne than the ingenue; but she is extremely pretty—dainty is the better word—and in the love scene, where many farces fall down lamentably, she rose splendidly to the occasion, showing herself a competent, finished actress.

Tax exemption bars tax-reduction.—Greenville (N. C.) Piedmont.

The trouble with the congressional practice of keeping the ear to the ground is that it also limits the field of vision.—Norfolk Virginia-Pilot.

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What the Toledo, O., Blade Thought of Blackstone:

THOUSANDS ARE TURNED AWAY AT MAGICAL SHOW

Blackstone Thrills and Amazes; Meets Durbin, Noted Trickster

Presenting much that is new, startling and original in the way of magic, Blackstone, one of the world's greatest magicians, entertained three capacity audiences at the Rivoli theatre Sunday. Several thousand persons were turned away during the day, unable to obtain even standing room, according to an actual check at the box office, Bob Shaw, manager, declared.

"GREATEST OF ALL"

W. W. Durbin, chairman of the state Democratic central committee and himself a magician of note, was one of the most interested spectators in the audience. Durbin has a private theatre with all theatrical appurtenances at his home in Kenton and often demonstrates to friends his own skill as a magician.

"Blackstone," Durbin said, "is the greatest I have ever seen. He amuses his audience and at the same time he mystifies them."

So enthusiastic was Durbin that he went back stage to meet Blackstone in person and enjoyed an interesting conversation there with the man who held three audiences spell-bound from the first rise of the curtain to its final drop.

Blackstone's illusions were perfect, his tricks beautiful and thrilling, and through it all appeared the deft touches which marked the performance as that of a great master.

Persons in the audience finally ceased altogether to wonder how it was done and substituted admiration and wonder that it was done.

BIG ILLUSIONS

"A Bachelor's Dream," presented with full stage effects, was the most beautiful presentation of magic ever seen here, while for effectiveness and interest, the "Vanishing Horse," which disappears with its rider in full view of the audience as though into thin air, is a genuine thrill.

Blackstone will remain at the Rivoli throughout the week with a complete change of program Thursday. The featured illusion will be "The Birth of Fashion," for the last half of the week.

Saturday, Blackstone will present a special children's matinee, when real live rabbits will be distributed to the children.

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GIVES THRIVING BUSINESS TO HELPERS THAT SONS MAY LEARN DOLLAR VALUE

NEW YORK, Jan. 25.—"I have two children, but I want them to grow up to appreciate the value of money—not to be dependent upon a rich father.

"I know the value of a dollar—I worked for it.

"I want my children to have the same knowledge.

"Too many of the children of rich men I know, are no better than spend thrifts, having not the slightest knowledge of the value of money.

"My kids are going to wear cotton stockings so they can appreciate the silk ones that they will earn later on.

"I want them to grow up and be useful citizens of their country, not parasites.

"And if they follow my rule of working and treating the other fellow square, they can have the same success that I have had, or anyone else can have."

Thus I. C. Herman, wealthy New York manufacturer of handkerchiefs, explains the announcement that he has turned over his whole business, a business whose total volume runs well over $2,000,000 a year, to two of his oldest employees, Irving Rossoff and Fred Smith.

"Do Unto Others"

Continuing he said:

"For if you 'Do unto others as you would have them do unto you,' you will find it the motto for success in business.

"It has brought me success, not only in a financial way, but in a better way, the real friendship and good will of those with whom I have done business.

"I have never made a man lose money in order that I might make a profit.

"If you make the other fellow money, he will buy more from you and make you more money.

"I've never had fine offices, although I could have had. But the other fellow must pay for them. They are the ones that have to pay your overhead.

"That is why many things are so expensive today—fine offices, fine furniture, fine buildings—all of which the consumer must pay for.

"There too, you must work hard. There has been no eight-hour day for me.

"Twenty years ago I started with $3,000.

"But my hard work and treating the other fellow as I should want him to treat me, I have made enough to keep me the rest of my life.

Give 'Em a Chance

"I want my two employees to have the same chance.

"They have been faithful—have worked hard.

"Take Rossoff in eight years he has risen from $6 a week to $15,000 a year. But it isn't done by watching the clock by considering his interest before mine.

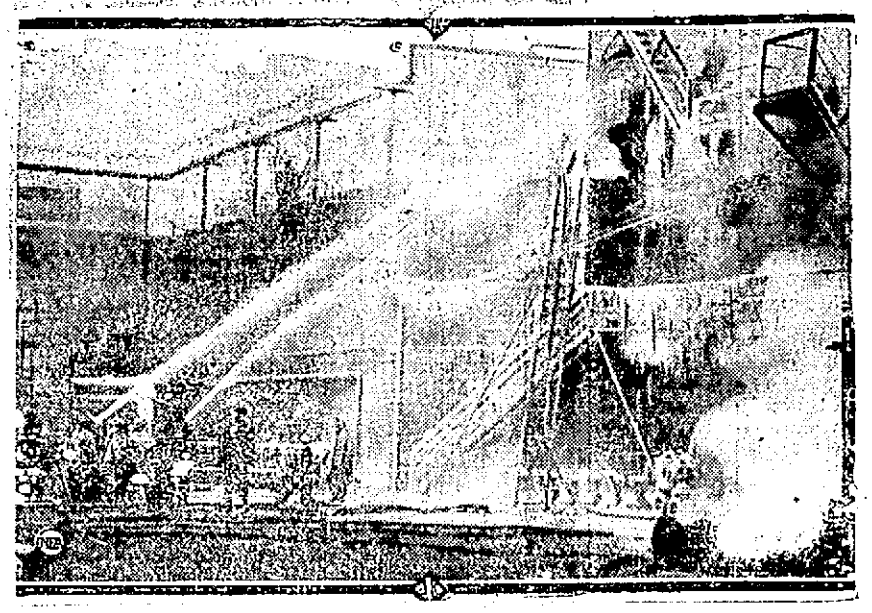
"And it was the same with Smith who has worked for me 12 years.

"I am going to give the boys the best of my experience—any advice they want will be freely given—but it is up to them.

"But from what I have seen of them I know that they will continue on as I have done, and that to them will come the success that comes to all who treat their fellowmen square and who will continue that with hard work."

A compromise between William J. Bryan and his critics might be worked out on the basis of Mr. Bryan's recognizing the law of evolution in return for the other side's recognizing the Volstead law.—New York Evening Post.

Where Seven Firemen Died



Flames, ice and blazing oil menaced firemen who fought this fire in a Pittsburg (Pa.) oil refinery. Seven firemen died when a ladder collapsed, throwing them into a tank of burning oil, while sub-zero weather caused other dangers. The man on the wall is standing where the ladder broke down, carrying the firefighters to death.

News of the Churches

Christian Science Society

Masonic building, Twentieth street. Services Sunday, 11 a. m. Subject: "Truth." Golden text: John 8:32, Ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make ye free." Wednesday evening testimonial meetings, 7:45 p. m. The public is cordially invited to these services.

First Methodist Episcopal Church

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m. E. L. Johnson superintendent. Morning worship, 11 o'clock, sermon, "The Song of the Redeemed." Epworth League, 6:30 p. m. Special music and debt paying. Evening service, 7:30 p. m. Sermon, "He Will not that he Lord had Forsaken Him." Rev. W. B. Archer, pastor.

First Baptist Church

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. S. M. Beams, superintendent. Morning services at 10:45 a. m., sermon subject, "Mighty to Save, Mighty to Keep." B. Y. P. U. at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "Opening the Storehouses." The Rev. Sam P. Martin, pastor.

First Presbyterian Church

Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., W. S. Anderson, superintendent. Morning services at 11 o'clock. Junior Endeavor at 2:30 p. m. Intermediate Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:45 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock. The Rev. B. M. Larson of Athens, Tenn., superintendent and treasurer of the executive committee of Home Missions of the Southern Presbyterian church will preach at both morning and evening services.

Christian Church

Sunday school at 9:45, H. R. Chamberlain, superintendent. The morning services at 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "Power in the Inward Man." Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "The Modern Message of the Church." The Rev. A. B. Reeves, pastor.

M. E. Church, South

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., J. S. Wright, superintendent. Morning services at 11 o'clock, sermon subject, "Let Us Reason Together." Miss Mary Skeen will sing a solo at this service. Epworth League at 6:30 p. m. Evening services at 7:30 o'clock, sermon subject, "The Promise of God." The Rev. W. K. McClure, pastor.

The Rev. B. M. LARSEN

superintendent and treasurer of the executive committee of Home Missions at Athens, Tennessee,

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TAKEN FROM LIFE

By Martin

Turn About

"WORSE THAN PAIN"

Louisiana Lady Says She Has "Nev-er Found Anything Better Than Cardui for a Run-Down Condition."

Morgan City, La.—"It would be hard r me to tell how much benefit I have rived from the use of Cardui," said rs. I. G. Bowman, of 1319 Front Street, is city.

"I was so run-down in health I could rdly go. I was thin. I had no ppetite. Could not rest or sleep well. was so weak, and so very nervous, I d no pleasure to myself.

"I suffered some pain, but the worst my trouble was from being so weak d easy to get tired and out of heart."

"This nervous" condition was worse n pain.

"Some one told me of Cardui, and I cided to use it.

"After using a few bottles, I regained strength. I wasn't so nervous, and gan to eat and sleep, and grew onger and was soon well.

"I have never found anything better a run-down condition."

f you suffer as this Louisiana lady did, , too, should find Cardui helpful for r troubles.

"t a bottle of Cardui, today. NC-144

ADAM AND EVA— A Long Journey. —by Cap Higgins

DO YOU KNOW, EVA, ANIMALS SHOW REMARKABLE INTELLEGENCE ABOUT THEIR FOOD? YOU NEVER SAW A HORSE WITH INDIGESTION.
NO, THEY NEVER OVER-EAT, ADAM
NATURE INTENDED MAN TO LIVE ON FRUITS AND VEGETABLES. UP TO THE TIME HE BEGAN TO EAT MEAT, HE WAS AS STRONG AS AN OX AND NEVER HAD A PAIN.
THE TROUBLE IS, ADAM, YOU EAT TOO MUCH!
MAYBE SO! EVA, JUST THINK OF THE CAMEL. WHY HE CAN TRAVEL OVER THE DESERT FOR DAYS ON JUST ONE DRINK.
I THINK YOU HAD BETTER STUDY THE GIRAFFE, ADAM.
WHAT DOES THE GIRAFFE DO?
WELL, ADAM, HE MAKES A LITTLE FOOD GO A LONG WAYS.
CAP HIGGINS

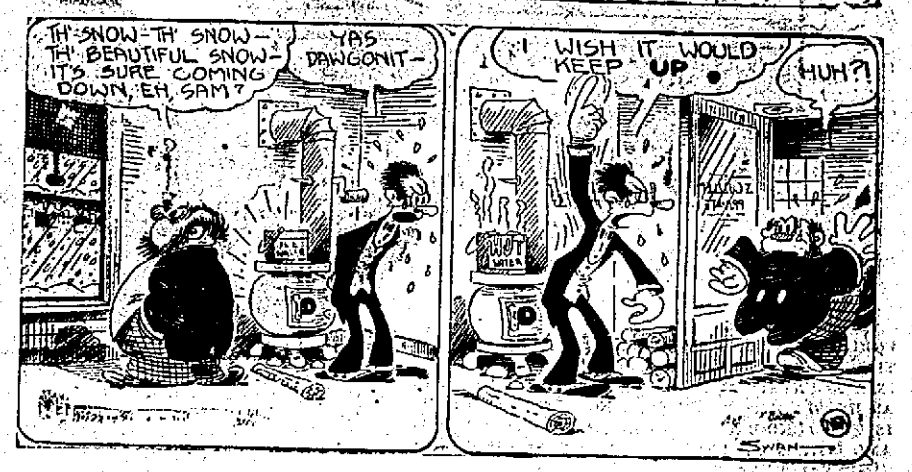
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS— —BY BLOSSER

YES, FRECKLES WENT AN' HIT RAY IN TH' EYE AN' MADE IT ALL BLACK.
OH, I'M GONNA TELL POP ON HIM.
YA KNOW WHAT FRECKLES DID T' RAY WALTERS, POP? HE HIT HIM IN TH' EYE AN' MADE IT BLACK
FRECKLES DID A THING LIKE THAT?? GO AND SEND HIM TO ME AT ONCE
WHADDYA WANT WITH ME, POP?
I HEAR YOU GAVE ONE OF THE WALTERS' BOYS A BLACK EYE— WHAT REASON HAD YOU FOR SUCH CONDUCT?
WELL, THEY'RE TWINS AN' I WANTED SOME WAY T' TELL THEM APART!
BLOSSER

OUT OUR WAY—by Williams

SALESMAN SAM And Sam Meant It —By Swan

DAWGONIT—IF THAT AIN'T TOUGH LUCK— NOW I'LL HAVE TO CALL THAT DATE OFF WITH MILLY—I CAN'T GO OUT IN THAT SNOW WITH THESE BIG HOLES IN MY SHOES
PSST—HEY GUZZ"—G'WAN IN AND KID SAM ABOUT IT SNOWING—HE'S MADDER'N A WET HEN ABOUT IT.
SWAN



OUR BOARDING HOUSE—By Ahern

HOLD ON HOOPLE,—Y'AIN'T GOING OUT ON ME ARE YOU?— HAR—HAR—I KNEW I'D MAKE YOU RUN UP TH' WHITE FLAG ON THEIR STRONG MAN YARNS!— IF YOU'LL WAIT A MINUTE I'LL TELL YOU ONE MORE ABOUT TH' TIME I CARRIED A SAFE UNDER MY ARM AS IF IT WAS A LUNCH BOX!— HAR—HAR—
HMF!—INDEED, MY FRIEND, YOU ARE LABORING UNDER AN ILLUSION IF YOU THINK I AM GIVING GROUND TO YOUR SILLY ASSERTIONS!—HAW, WERE IT NOT THAT I AM CALLING ON S. BARKER VAN TENYCK THIS EVENING, TO DETERMINE THE AUTHENTICITY OF SOME REMBRANDT CANVASES HE CONTEMPLATES PURCHASING,—WHY,—AH—BY JOVE—I WOULD RELATE TO YOU SOME OF MY MUSCULAR ACHIEVEMENTS, I VOUCH WOULD PUT YOUR IDLE PRATTLE TO SCORN!—HOWEVER,—I BID YOU GOOD EVENING! HMF—
GENE AHERN
ROUND 6— IT APPEARS THE MAJOR ACKNOWLEDGES DEFEAT— {FINAL RESULTS IN OUR NEXT}

THE OLD HOME TOWN—By Stanley

BACK UP!!
GO AHEAD!!
FIRE CRACKERS WAFFLE IRONS WATER BUCKETS PIANOS LACE CURTAINS AND FISH HOOKS
GIT FER HOME BRUNO
HOLD ON BOYS!!—OTEY'S LOST HIS FOOTIN'—!!!
YOU SAY WE'D BETTER PITCH IN AN' HELP?
NO-NO-I'M IN FAVOR OF LETTIN' HIM YELP!!
WHUTS TH' FUSS?
STANLEY
RUMMAGE SALE NEWS-FIRST DAY— MARSHAL OTEY WALKER SLIPPED AND FELL WHILE MOVING A LARGE TABLE TODAY. THREE LEGS WERE DAMAGED— TWO ON THE TABLE AND ONE ON THE MARSHAL

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HOW FORD SPENDS HIS MONEY

THESE PICTURES OF HENRY FORD AT PLAY SHOW HIM SPLITTING WOOD, BATHING HIS FEET IN A MOUNTAIN STREAM, AS A YACHTSMAN, AND AS HE APPEARS WHEN SKATING. INSERT BELOW IS THE SCHOOLHOUSE FORD ATTENDED AS A BOY, AND WHICH HE RECENTLY PURCHASED FOR SENTIMENTAL REASONS.

DEARBORN, Mich., Jan. 26.—How does Henry Ford spend his money?

How much of the world's largest fortune is lavished on its owner?

The truth is that Ford, with all his wealth, has never developed the luxurious tastes and habits of a millionaire.

The man has a certain contempt for money. Most of it goes back in his business and creates jobs for thousands of men. Other millions go to charity. He recently gave another million and a half to his hospital in Detroit. Other charitable and welfare work he dare not let the world know about, for fear of being swamped with pleading letters.

Ford could easily blow in $5,000 a day on himself and never miss it. Yet, with the exception of a few hobbies which serve as outlets for the sentimental vein in his character, his riches have made him more simple in his personal habits than ever before.

He likes plain food, a quiet home life and the least possible display.

There is a Ford yacht—but it is for the family. Ford himself finds his spirit not in yachting but in ice skating, walking, camping and tree chopping.

Goes Without Hat

He prefers not to wear a hat—hence his cheeks are well tanned. He wears plain clothes, usually a sack suit of blue or gray.

A suit costs Ford $80 or $100. It is tailor-made and loose-fitting and must answer two requirements: It must be plain and of good quality.

In fact, the man's philosophy may be summed up in these four words, "plain and good quality." They are traits he looks for in everything, whether it be a meal, an employe at his plant or a seat at a show.

Even Ford himself wouldn't know how much of his income he uses as "spending money." Recently he bought the little schoolhouse in Dearborn township where he studied as a boy. Ford hasn't said what he will do with it; probably he will restore it as a tangible memory of his boyhood—just as he has preserved his old homestead.

Befriends Birds

Henry Ford spends money fostering and preserving animal life around his Dearborn home. He has installed drinking fountains for the wild creatures. These are kept from freezing in winter by electrically heated coils.

He spends money in collecting American antiques and is reconstructing through these the life of the people of America from earliest times. Ford also is making a collection to show the evolution of lighting.

Recently someone found Ford in the back yard of his birthplace, digging with a spade.

"My mother," explained Ford, "used to throw broken cups and saucers in the back yard and then bury them. I'm trying to unearth a sample so I can have the pattern duplicated."

Another outlet for Ford's reverence for the things his mother liked is to be found in his collection of old American songs. His collection of American music—mostly the songs and waltzes of his mother's day—is complete. He often has this music played to him at his home.

Likes Football

Ford is not a baseball fan. But he enjoys football and goes to theatres, symphony concerts and lectures. He never sits in a box seat.

Ford can be seen most any day driving around his Dearborn plant in a Ford coupe. He uses this exclusively for his business errands. Driving into town, or on long trips, he generally uses a Lincoln.

He pays $10 for a pair of shoes. His hats are cheaper than that, and last him a long time. He eats with equal enjoyment at expensive hotels or at little lunch counters. If the service is good, he gives a liberal tip.

He carries a plain gold watch, but wears no jewelry.

And he has never tasted tobacco or alcohol.

LOCALS

Miss Mary Fulton of Harrogate and Mrs. Baylor Fulton of Harlan were in town yesterday afternoon.

The first sale in seven years! And A. D. Campbell and Bro. surely are offering you your money's worth. See yesterday's Daily News for special price list.

Mrs. R. L. Maddox, her sister, Mrs. Ednah Unruh, and her niece, Edna Lee Unruh, both of Washington, D. C., motored to Pineville yesterday.

New Columbia demonstration records 25 cents. Gibson Bros.

C. E. McNeil was in Tazewell on business yesterday.

250 Victor 75 cent records, 55 cents each, two for $1. Gibson Bros.

A Howard of Pineville was a visitor here yesterday.

J. A. Yeary of Big Stone Gap, Va., was in Middlesboro on business Friday.

200 Edison disc records, worth $1 to $1.50, special price Friday and Saturday, 55 cents or two for $1.—Gibson Bros.

Still Welch of Tazewell was visiting here yesterday.

You can afford to buy when you can get prices like A. D. Campbell and Bro. are offering. Sale starts tomorrow.

W. S. Phillips of Corbin was in town on business Thursday.

A. F. Whitfield of Kitts, president of the Clover Fork Coal Co., was in town today.

Judge J. H. S. Morison of Cumberland Gap was in town Thursday.

Miss Annie Miller Peyton of Shawnee is here today.

Bert Rogers of L. M. P. is in town today.

CLASSIFIED ADS

WANTED:—Good cook, who will do house work. 412 Dorchester ave. tf

MEN AND WOMEN—Make large profits selling Rawleigh's Guaranteed Health Products and Household Necessities. No experience necessary. Largest company teaches you the most successful methods and gives most help and co-operation; give age; occupation; references. W. T. Rawleigh Co., Dept. Freeport, Ill. 1-26*

BECOME REPRESENTATIVE:—Of large concern; establish yourself permanently. Simplified method selling shoes. Factory to Wearer. Your daily profits large. Apply immediately. Style Arch Solles, Cincinnati. 1-26*

BACHELOR GIRL:—Wealthy; wants confidential gentleman correspondent. K—League, Box 863, Denver, Colo. 1-26*

BACHELOR:—Worth $20,000, wants lady correspondent, confidential. G—Box 35, League, Toledo, O. 1-26*

WANTED:—Experienced grocery man married, between 25 and 35 years of age to take charge of branch store in Middlesboro. Must have selling ability, good character and be well recommended. The Great Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co., 220 E. Broadway, Louisville, Ky. 1-28*

FOR SALE:—Buick roadster; good condition; good price. —Faulconner's garage. 2-2

LOST:—Bunch of keys; left of near postoffice. Finder return to Daily News office and receive reward. 1-25

LOST—Saturday, January 12, baroque pearl brooch, eleven pearls. Finder return Daily News for reward. 1-28.

FOR SALE:—Modern 6-room cottage, near Lincoln Memorial University. Easy terms. Box 121, Harrogate, Tenn. 2-2*

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeeping, or bedrooms and board. Call Mrs. W. C. Pearman, old phone 668. 1-25*

FOR RENT:—Six-room house with bath, lots, large garden, chicken lot, chicken house, cow barn. 215 Queensbury Heights. Old phone 657. W. M. Shorter.

FOR RENT:—Five office rooms on second floor Citizens Bank Bldg.; 2 outside rooms on 20th St.; lights and water furnished. Rent separately or all together. Call Citizens Bank and Trust Co. tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Call old phone 410. tf

D. C. SELLERS PRESENTS LETTERS FROM PROMINENT LOCAL MEN ENDORSING HIM FOR CHIEF OF POLICE

Dec. 30, 1923.

Hon. J. B. Keeney, Mayor,
Hon. J. E. Evans, Commissioner,
Hon. C. E. Cooke, Commissioner,
City of Middlesboro, Ky.,
Gentlemen:

I understand there will be a new chief of police appointed in the near future, as U. S. prohibition enforcement officer for this district. I am in a position to recommend D. C. Sellers to you as I have worked with him a great deal and I have always found him reliable and trustworthy on all occasions, and in my opinion you can not find a better man if as good for chief of police. I am writing this of my own accord and trust you as a unit, will give this application serious thought as I can readily see your need of his services in Middlesboro and am sure he would become a valuable asset to your city.

Yours for law enforcement,
W. B. SAYLOR.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks for the many kind acts shown us during our recent bereavement. Also for the many beautiful floral offerings, tributes to Mrs. Anderson.

W. S. Anderson,
Mrs. M. D. Fugate, family,
Mrs. M. P. Overton, family.

K. OF P. NOTICE

Important business Tuesday, January 29th, 7:30 p. m. A full attendance desired.

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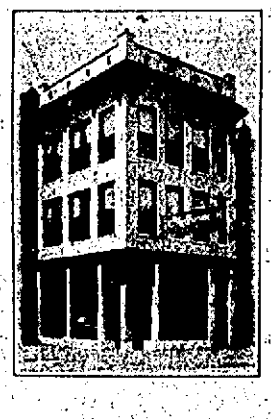

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¶"We begged you to join the Christmas Club last year like we did. But you kept putting it off until it was too late," your friends remind you.

¶"Oh, don't I wish I had joined!" you groan.

¶But let's not talk about what you should have done last year. Let's talk about what you will do this year. Open a Christmas account TODAY in the Citizens Bank and Trust Co. Next year this time you will be mighty glad you did! It's so much better to be a "Glad-I-did" than a "Wish-I-had!"

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